



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4277**

Josef LEHMKUHL et al. : Docket No. 2001_0574A

Serial No. 09/831,451 : Group Art Unit 1754

Filed May 10, 2001 : Examiner Steven J. Bos

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Official Action dated August 27, 2003, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached Petition, please amend the present application as follows:



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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Additional fees required as a result of this Amendment are calculated as follows:

	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY
Total Claims exceeding 20 (not already paid for): 4 x	(\$ 9 = \$45)	or	(\$18 = \$)
Indep. Claims exceeding 3 (not already paid for): x	(\$43 = \$)	or	(\$86 = \$)
[] Multiple Dep. Claim(s) (if there previously were none): +	(\$145 = \$)	or	(\$290 = \$)
Total Additional Fee =	<u>\$45</u>	or	<u>\$</u>

[X] Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 which
[] is enclosed or
[X] has been previously submitted.

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[] Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-0975 the amount of \$ to cover additional fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency associated with this communication or to credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account. The original and two copies of this document are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Josef LEHMKUHL et al.

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Sir:

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Petition for Extension of Time \$475.00

Additional Claims Fee Transmittal Letter
Excess of Twenty \$45.00

A duplicate copy of this paper is being submitted for use in the Accounting Division, Office of Finance.

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Respectfully submitted,

Josef LEHMKUHL et al.

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